

Monday, June 23, 1997

# Daily Digest

## Senate

### Chamber Action

**Routine Proceedings, pages S6049–S6103**

**Measures Introduced:** One bill was introduced, as follows: S. 950. **Page S6097**

#### Measures Passed

**National Literacy Day:** Senate agreed to S. Res. 92, designating July 2, 1997, and July 2, 1998, as “National Literacy Day”. **Page S6103**

**Budget Reconciliation:** Senate began consideration of S. 947, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 104(a) of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 1998, taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

**Pages S6058–72, S6074–93**

#### Pending:

Gregg Modified Amendment No. 426, to provide for terms and conditions of imposing Medicare premiums. **Pages S6066–72, S6074–77**

Harkin Amendment No. 428, to reduce health care fraud, waste, and abuse. **Pages S6077–78**

Kennedy/Wellstone Amendment No. 429, to strike the provision relating to the imposition of a copayment for part B home health services. **Pages S6078–93**

Motion to waive a point of order that section 5611 of the bill violates section 313(b)(1)(A) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974. **Page S6092**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill on Tuesday, June 24, 1997. **Page S6103**

**Messages From the President:** Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Transmitting the annual report on Federal Advisory Committees for fiscal year 1995; referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs. (PM–47). **Pages S6095–96**

**Nominations Received:** Senate received the following nominations:

Martin S. Indyk, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Routine lists in the Army, Marine Corps. **Page S6103**

**Messages From the President:**

**Pages S6095–96**

**Messages From the House:**

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**Communications:**

**Pages S6096–97**

**Statements on Introduced Bills:**

**Pages S6097–99**

**Additional Cosponsors:**

**Pages S6099–S6100**

**Amendments Submitted:**

**Pages S6100–01**

**Additional Statements:**

**Pages S6101–03**

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 7:45 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Tuesday, June 24, 1997. (For Senate’s program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today’s Record on page S6103.)

### Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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## House of Representatives

### Chamber Action

**Bills Introduced:** 5 public bills, H.R. 2009–2013; and 2 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 103–104, were introduced. **Page H4221**

**Reports Filed:** Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1581, to reauthorize the program established under chapter 44 of title 28, United States Code, relating to arbitration (H. Rept. 105–143);

H.R. 1866, to continue favorable treatment for need-based educational aid under the antitrust laws (H. Rept. 105–144);